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The reply filed on 03/03/08 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the new limitations in independent claim 1 are referring to a polymeric matrix that belongs to a non-elected species. The elected species is shown in the election requirement filed on 07/17/07. The polymeric matrix belongs to sub-species C2. Correction is required. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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